

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Michel BAYLOT et al.

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For: A buoyancy device and a method for stabilizing  
and controlling the lowering or raising of a  
structure between the surface and the sea floor

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**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF DECISION FROM PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REVIEW**

SIR:

In response to the Notice dated June 4, 2010, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.